

three, and March fourteenth, eighteen hundred and sixty-five, Chapter one hundred and six, certain bounties were given to volunteers and drafted men, and no provision was made in case of the decease of said parties, therefore,

In case of the decease of parties entitled to Bounty.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That in case of the decease of any parties entitled to bounty under the Acts of February third, eighteen hundred and sixty-five, and March fourteenth, eighteen hundred and sixty-five, Chapter one hundred and six, the amount unpaid which would have been payable to said parties shall be paid in the following order :

How paid.

First : To the widow of said party, if there be one ; second, if he leave no widow, then to his children equally ; third, if he leave no widow, child or children, then to his mother ; fourth, if he leaves no mother, then to his father ; and if no father, then to his brother and sisters equally, and if he leave no brother or sister, then the same shall revert to the State.

In force.

Sec. 2. *And be it enacted,* That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

CHAPTER 372.

Passed Mar 22, 1867.

AN ACT to further extend the time and provisions of the Act passed February sixth, Chapter fifteenth, and March fourteenth, eighteen hundred and sixty-four, Chapter three hundred and seventy-three, and the supplements thereto, relating to the payment of Bounties to Volunteers and drafted men of this State.

Provisions extended to embrace all volunteers and drafted men.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the provisions of Chapter fifteen of eighteen hundred and sixty-four, and Chapter three hundred and seventy-three, of eighteen hundred and sixty-four and the supplements